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## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Appeal to the Board of Appeals

re Application of: KOLTER et al.

Serial No. 09/811,546

Group Art Unit: 1615

Filed: March 20, 2001

Examiner: Spear

For:

SOLID ORAL DOSAGE FORMS WITH DELAYED RELEASE OF ACTIVE

INGREDIENT AND HIGH MECHANICAL STABILITY

Date: September 20, 2004

To: Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

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- 1. [X] NOTICE OF APPEAL: Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appals from the decision dated 6/18/04 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1,3-19 and 21-24.
- 2. [] A check to cover the extension fee of \$\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- 3. [] BRIEF on appeal in this application is transmitted herewith.
- 4. [ ] An Oral Hearing is requested.
  - [] The Oral Hearing fee of \$290.00 is enclosed.
- 5. [X] Fee \$330.00
  - [X] Enclosed
  - [] Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)
  - [] Charge to Deposit Account No. 11-0345.
- 6. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be further required, or credit any over payment to Account No. 11-0345. A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted, KEIL & WEINKAUF

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